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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Takeshi YAMAMOTO et al.) : Examiner: A. Allawi
Application No.: 10/626,744) : Group Art Unit: 2877
Filed: July 25, 2003) : Confirmation No.: 9697
For: OPTICAL APPARATUS, MEASUREMENT) :
METHOD, AND SEMICONDUCTOR) :
DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD) :
December 22, 2005)

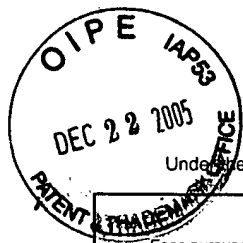
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AMENDMENT AND LETTER
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$) 650.00**METHOD OF PAYMENT** (check all that apply)

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☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 06-1205 Deposit Account Name: Fitzpatrick, Cella, Harper & Scinto

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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
25	- 20 or HP = 5	x 50.00	= 250.00			
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20						

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
5	- 3 or HP = 2	x 200.00	= 400.00
HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3			

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

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4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other: _____

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